BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Docket No. R2001-1

MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSES OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO INTERROGATORIES OCA/USPS-100, 103, 105

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of its response to interrogatories OCA/USPS-100, 103, 105, filed on October 19, 2001. The responses were due on November 2, 2001 and are thus 3 business days late. This delay was caused by the need to coordinate among various individuals and functional areas. The Postal Service regrets any inconvenience but does not believe that any party has been prejudiced by this delay.

Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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